

**RULE 116 AMENDMENT  
RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Dennis Kwan  
Serial No.: 09/851,734  
Filing Date: May 8, 2001  
Group Art Unit: 2667  
Examiner: Rhonda L. Murphy  
Title: SOFTWARE MODEM ARCHITECTURE

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Honorable Commissioner  
for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

In response to the Final Office Action mailed November 29, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the following Amendments thereto, and the comments as set forth below. Please amend the Application as follows.